

or his designee on any suspension considered under this resolution. Finally, the rule provides that House Resolution 342 is laid on the table.

### EXPEDITED PROCEDURES

*Committee on Rules:* Granted, by voice vote, a rule waiving clause 6(a) of rule XIII (requiring a two-thirds vote to consider a rule on the same day it is reported from the Rules Committee) against certain resolutions reported from the Rules Committee. The rule applies the waiver to a special rule reported on or before November 17, 1999, providing for consideration of a bill or joint resolution making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2000, any amendment thereto, a conference report thereon, or any amendment reported in disagreement from a conference thereon. The rule applies the waiver to a special rule reported on or before November 17, 1999, providing for consideration of a bill or joint resolution making general appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, any amendment thereto, any conference report thereon, or any amendment reported in disagreement from a conference thereon.

### SMALL WATERSHED REHABILITATION AMENDMENTS; MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure:* Ordered reported H.R. 728, Small Watershed Rehabilitation Amendments of 1999.

The Committee also approved the following: General Services Administration's Fiscal Year 2000 leasing program; water resolutions; small watershed project; public buildings resolutions; and 11(b) resolutions.

### CORPORATE TAX SHELTERS

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Held a hearing on corporate tax shelters. Testimony was heard from Rep-

resentative Doggett; Jonathan Talisman, Acting Assistant Secretary, Tax Policy, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

## Joint Meetings

### VETERANS' MILLENNIUM HEALTH CARE ACT

*Conferees* agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate and House passed versions of H.R. 2116, to amend title 38, United States Code, to establish a program of extended care services for veterans and to make other improvements in health care programs of the Department of Veterans Affairs

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### NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D1285)

S. 437, to designate the United States courthouse under construction at 333 Las Vegas Boulevard South in Las Vegas, Nevada, as the "Lloyd D. George United States Courthouse". Signed November 9, 1999. (P.L. 106-91)

S. 1652, to designate the Old Executive Office Building located at 17th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, in Washington, District of Columbia, as the Dwight D. Eisenhower Executive Office Building. Signed November 9, 1999. (P.L. 106-92)

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### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1999

#### Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

#### House

No committee meetings are scheduled.